



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 08-07-2026

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THE HON'BLE MR JUSTICE KRISHNAN RAMASAMY

WP No. 25957 of 2026

N. Murugan

..Petitioner

Vs

1. The Principal Secretary to Government,
Revenue and Disaster Management
Department, Secretariat, Chennai – 600009.
2. The Commissioner of Land Administration,
Chepauk, Chennai - 600005.
3. The Assistant Settlement Officer (North)
Survey and Settlement Department, Chepauk,
Chennai - 600005.
4. The Settlement officer,
Survey and Settlement Department, Chepauk,
Chennai - 600005.
5. The Director of Survey and Settlement,
Survey House, Chepauk, Chennai - 600005.
6. The District Collector,
Chennai District, Singarevelar Maaligai,
Kamarajar Salai, Chennai.
7. The District Revenue Officer,
Singarevelar Maaligai, Kamarajar Salai,
Chennai.
8. The Revenue Divisional Officer,
Tambaram, Chennai -45.



9. The Revenue Divisional Officer (South)
Mount Road, Guindy, Chennai-32.

10. The Special Tahsildar,
Survey and Settlement Department, Alandur,
Chennai - 600016.

11. The Tahsildar,
Alandur Taluk, Chennai - 600016.

12. Muthukrishnan

13. Manickarajan

14. Selvanayagi

15. Vijayalakshmi

16. Sakunthala

17. D. Prabakaran
Represented by his power agent, B. Thanigaivel,
Kacheepuram.

18. B. Kameswaran

19. B. Gokulanathan

20. B. Santhana lakshmi

21. B. Durgambiga

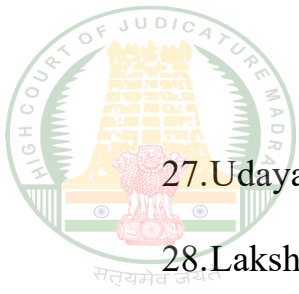
22. B. Vijaykrishnan

23. R. Selvaraj

24. Tmt. R. Kasthuri

25. Balaji

26. Senthilkumar



27.Udayakumar

28.Lakshmikanthan

29.N.Pazhani

..Respondent(s)

Prayer: This writ petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus directing the 1st respondent to take up, hear and dispose the petitioner appeal No.4009 dated 15.04.2024 preferred against the proceedings of the 2nd respondent in Roc.No.K5/K1/9636/2011 dated 25.10.2023 within a time frame fixed by this Hon'ble Court and consequently direct the 1st respondent to restore the Patta standing in his name in respect of the land measuring 1.22 acres comprised in old survey no.179/1PT, New survey No.7PT, presently town survey No.7/1 and 7/2 Ward-G, Block No.25, Adambakkam village, Chennai District.

For Petitioner : Mr. M.Silambarasan

For Respondents : Mr. B. Pachaiyappan,
Government's Counsel for R1 to R11

ORDER

This Writ Petition has been filed seeking to dispose the petitioner's appeal dated 15.04.2024.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that the petitioner has filed an appeal dated 15.04.2024 before the first respondent preferred against the proceedings of the 2nd respondent in Roc.No.K5/K1/9636/2011 dated 25.10.2023 and consequently direct the first respondent to restore the Patta standing in his name in respect of the land measuring 1.22 acres comprised in



old survey no.179/1PT, New survey No.7PT, presently town survey No.7/1 and 7/2 Ward-G, Block No.25, Adambakkam village, Chennai District. However, the said appeal was not considered, as on date. Hence, this writ petition.

3. Mr.B.Pachaiyappan, learned Government's Counsel takes notice on behalf of respondents 1 to 11 and submitted that the petitioner's appeal dated 15.04.2024 will be considered within a period of eight weeks.

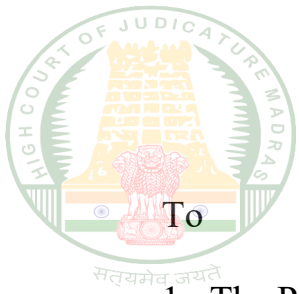
4. Heard the learned counsel on either side and perused the materials available on record.

5. Considering the limited relief sought by the learned counsel for the petitioner, this Court without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, directs the first respondent to dispose of the petitioner's appeal dated 15.04.2024 on merits and in accordance with law, within a period of eight (8) weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

6. With the aforesaid direction, this writ petition stands disposed of. No costs.

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Index: Yes/No
Speaking/Non-speaking order
Neutral Citation: Yes/No
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